

Environmental Crisis and the Transnational Imagination  
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# Narratives of the Global Ecosystem

## International Workshop

**Altes Finanzamt, Landshuter Str. 4, top floor**

Thursday, September 15

- 18.00-20.00      Opening Keynote:  
**Hsuan L. Hsu** (University of California, Davis), "Eco-Orientalism: Transpacific Articulations of Race and Environmental Health"

Friday, September 16

- 9.30-10.30      **Uwe Lübken** (Munich), "Natural Disasters and Displacement: Global Narratives, Local Histories"  
11.00-12.00      **Anna Flügge** (Munich), "Living in the Waste Land: The Financial Crisis and the 'Nature' of Capitalism"  
14.00-15.00      **Roman Bartosch** (Cologne), "Petrofiction and the Crude Side of Cultural Ecology"  
15.00-16.00      **Kathrin Bartha** (Monash), "Spectres of the Anthropocene: Australian Climate Fiction and the Ecogothic"  
16.30-17.30      **Alexa Weik von Mossner** (Klagenfurt), "Feeling Global? Narrating Emotions and Other Messy Things in the Anthropocene"

Saturday, September 17

- 9.30-10.30      **Michael Sauter** (Augsburg), "The American Pastoral and the Global Ecosystem"  
11.00-13.00      Closing Keynote:  
**Ursula Heise** (University of California, Los Angeles), "Multispecies Narratives in an Age of Biodiversity Change"

**The workshop is open to the public. All are welcome.**